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SUBJECT: MUNITIONS CONTROL: CHRYSLER 360 ENGINE FOR APC

1. RETIRED BELGIAN AIR FORCE GENERAL DONNET REQUESTED EMBASSY SUPPORT IN OBTAINING LICENSE FOR RELEASE OF CHRYSLER 360 CID GASOLINE ENGINE FOR USE IN ARMORED PERSONNEL CARRIER DESIGNED AND BEING BUILT IN PROTOTYPE BY BELGIAN FIRM B.A.T. S.A. (BRUXELLOISE D'AUTO TRANSPORTS). BEHERMAN-DEMOEN N.V., ON BEHALF OF B.AT.T., PLACED ORDER WITH CHRYSLER FOR ENGINE ON MARCY 29. REGISTRATION NUMBER FOR REQUEST FOR "COMMODITY RESTRICTION RULING" IS PMMC-1175-1326.

2. GENERAL DONNET EMPHASIZED THAT ENGINE IS NEEDED SOONEST FOR FITTING INTO ARMORED VEHICLE BEING PRODUCED AS PROTOTYPE OF SERIES REQUIRED BY BELGIAN GENDARMERIE. ENGINE CHARACTERISTICS ARE AS FOLLOWS: CHRYSLER 360 CID PETROL ENGINE COMPLETE WITH 24 V. STARTER, STEERING PUMP, AIR-CONDITIONING SYSTEM AND FITTINGS.

3. EMBASSY POSSESSES NO ADVERSE INFORMATION ON B.A.T. OR ON BEHERMAN-DEMOEN N.V. JOSEPH BEHERMAN, MANAGING DIRECTOR OF BEHERMAN-DEMOEN N.V., WAS IN PAST IMPORTER OF RUSSIAN CARS. HE HAS ALSO SOLD EQUIPMENT TO BELGIAN MILITARY.

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